

To the Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450



Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the application of:

Inventor: Ralph F. Altman

Serial No.: 10/023,184

Filed: December 18, 2001

For: FLY ASH TREATMENT BY IN SITU OZONE GENERATION

☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

☒ No additional fee is required.

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FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM					+145	\$		+290	\$
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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

To the Honorable Commissioner  
of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

This letter is responsive to the Official Action of January 16, 2004 which was a final rejection.

Claims 6-13 are pending in this application.

Claims 6-8 are allowed.

Claim 9 is rejected on formal grounds.

Claims 10-13 are rejected over prior art.

A copy of the amended claims appears on the following pages.